



LAYOFFS . CLOSURES DISLOCATED WORKERS . HELP IS AVAILABLE

Kentucky's *RAPID RESPONSE TEAM* assists dislocated workers - workers who lose their jobs because of permanent business closures or mass layoffs due to economic climate or as a result of natural or man-made disasters.

The *RAPID RESPONSE TEAM* helps employees during layoffs by providing information about retraining, job opportunities, filing for unemployment insurance benefits and other local, state and federal services.

- ◆ An initial employer meeting to plan transitional services for employees
- ◆ Presentations to employees on available community services
- ◆ Reemployment prospects for employees
- ◆ Information on local comprehensive One-Stop system services, unemployment insurance benefits, employment and training activities, and the Trade Adjustment Assistance (TAA) programs
- ◆ Adult Education skill upgrading, GED preparation and testing
- ◆ Health Services
- ◆ Other services determined necessary to meet the needs of employees

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The Rapid Response team includes representatives from the Local Workforce Investment Areas (LWIA), the local Office for Employment and Training (Unemployment Insurance and Job Service), Kentucky Adult Education, the Office for Vocational Rehabilitation, the Trade Adjustment Assistance (TAA) programs, the area Health Services, the Department of Labor and other agencies, as deemed necessary to meet the needs of dislocated employees.

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